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WITH THE ARMED FORCES

S/Sgt. VERNON ELLSWORTH writes to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth of Niles, that he is temporarily sojourning in Honolulu. Unlike his stay in Honolulu prior to the war, young Ellsworth is finding life in the Pacific isles a bit monotonous, what with having to spend most of his time in the barracks.

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Cpl. RENZO QUILICI has been sending souvenirs to his wife, Mrs. Beth Quilici, and to his father-in-law, Eph. L. Musick of Decoto, since he landed in Germany.

Among his recent packages he sent a large red and white flag with a huge swastika, supposedly taken from one of Hitler's hideouts. Another package contained a German flare-gun, an Italian boat gun, and a large, beautifully-designed shotgun from the famous Krupp factories.

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Pvt. ROBERT N. SCOTT, aviation mechanic, has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott of Newark, that he has been promoted to a C-46 school at Keesler Field, Miss.

The training will prepare him for duty on a cargo plane, where he will serve with a crew of three mechanics needed on the large transports.

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Flight Officer JOHN RICE left last Sunday for Lincoln, Neb., after a five-day leave in Newark with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Rice.

He made the surprise leave while en route to Lincoln from Albany, Ga., where he has been flying B-29's. A graduate of Washington High in 1943, he has been in the Army for two years. He will have three months more of combat training before being sent overseas.

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Pfc. PETER ALCON was issued a one-day pass from Camp Roberts last Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Alcon of Decoto. The Alcons have two other sons overseas, Cpl. GEORGE ALCON is stationed in India, and Pfc. LACENTO ALCON is stationed in Italy.

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Pvt. HAROLD H. HOUGHTON of Niles has reported for duty at Stanford University for participation in the Army Specialized Training Reserve program. Pvt. Houghton, while at Stanford, will receive four terms of college education prior to reporting to active duty with the Army. He is a former student of Washington Union High School and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Houghton of 988 Second Street. While at Washington he played basketball and was president of the senior class.

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Mrs. Bonnie Amaral is anxiously awaiting the arrival of her husband, T/5 ARTHUR A. AMARAL, from the European theater of war. He was with the spearhead division commanded by General Hodges. He has been awarded the purple heart for schrapnel wounds, the presidential citation, good conduct ribbon, before-Pearl-Harbor ribbon, the E.T.O. ribbon with five bronze stars, a combat infantry badge, one hash-mark, and four overseas stripes. When Amaral comes home he will be honorably discharged.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Amaral of Irvington. Some of the souvenirs he has sent home to his wife are two German rifles, two flags, a German helmet, two caps and belts, a camera and an assortment of pins from German uniforms.

Another son of the Amarals, S/Sgt. GEORGE W. AMARAL, who is somewhere in the Aleutian Islands, writes home that he's fine. The weather has been good there, but it is an extremely lonesome place.

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S. 1/c RUSSELL M. ROSS JR. is back in port at Vallejo after 18 months at sea in the South and Central Pacific. Presently he is enjoying frequent liberties and will have a 21-day leave next week.

Ross has seen a great deal of action aboard a destroyer, which has to its credit a Jap sub and six Jap planes. He has been in the Navy for two years, enlisting when he was a junior at Washington High.

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Preparing for service in a branch of naval aviation, GEORGE V. HICKS of Irvington, son of E. B. Hicks, has completed his training at the U. S. Naval Air Training Technical Center, Norman, Okla.

He is now slated to be transferred to a naval unit afloat or to another shore station for further instruction and work. Upon successful completion of his training, he may be eligible to apply for duty as an aircrewman and so will be entitled to wear the silver wings of that service.

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Mrs. Carmen Foster writes that her husband, Pfc. Ernest R. Foster, claims he is back to civilization, even if it is among the na-

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MORE MEXICAN LABOR FOR COUNTY GROWERS

Thirty additional Mexican Nationals were at work in Alameda County apricot orchards today, loaned from growers of the Merced area until the peach harvest opens there. They augment a group of 200 workers assigned to the Alameda County Growers' Association for work here. All are housed at the county fair grounds at Pleasanton.

APPEAL MADE FOR REFRIGERATOR CAR INCREASE

Ed Orloff, president of the Alameda County Farm Bureau, announced today that an appeal had been made to the Federal government to supply additional refrigerator cars immediately and thereby avert the loss of food vitally needed for the war in the Pacific.

Orloff quoted Ray B. Wiser, president of the California Farm Bureau Federation, in saying that the shortage of refrigerator cars is so serious that California farmers face a probable loss equal to one-third of the tonnage shipped to Europe last year.

According to Orloff, the Federations president has requested Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson to take immediate action to remedy the situation. Copies of President Wiser's letter to Secretary Anderson have been sent to California's entire Congressional delegation.

In his appeal to secretary Anderson, the head of the California Farm Bureau Federation pointed out that:

1. California farmers have again made a notable contribution to the war effort, despite every conceivable handicap.

2. Some crops will exceed last year's production.

3. A greater number of refigerator cars should be made available immediately for California.

4. Arrangements should be made at once to divert some perishable freezing channels so that every food tonage to canning, drying or pound of food needed by the war effort can be conserved.

"As harvesting draws near," President Wiser told Secretary Anderson, "the situation becomes increasingly dangerous, and extraordinary measures will have to be taken to avoid losses.

"We can't afford to waste a single pound of food. Everything we have produced this year is needed for the war in the Pacific, for our domestic economy, and to take care of the liberated areas of Europe.

"The farmers have done their part. We have produced to the limit of our ability. Now, it is up to the federal government to provide us with transportation facilities. That's the least the government can do for agriculture."

EIGHT WILL BE CONFIRMED AT ST. JAMES CHURCH

The rite of confirmation will be administered to eight candidates when the Right Reverend Karl Morgan Block, D.D., bishop of California, makes his annual visit to St. James Episcopal Church, Centerville, this Sunday at the 11:15 morning service.

Six of the candidates were prepared for confirmation by the Rev. E. A. Groves Jr., acting vicar. They are Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Goold, Mrs. William Mette, Barbara Williams, Jacqueline Burtch, and Darlene Bolyard. Two candidates were prepared at Camp Parks by Chaplain Alfred Seccombe, senior protestant chaplain at the camp. They are Prtr. (M) 3/c and Mrs. Chester Moore. Chaplain Seccombe will participate in the ceremony. Bishop Block will be the preacher.

Following the service the candidates for confirmation will be guests of honor at a buffet lunch. Ladies of St. James Guild, which has adjourned for the summer, will interrupt their vacation to take charge of the affair under the leadership of Mrs. Val Tuchsen, president.

The bishop will arrive on Sunday morning by train from the East, where he was called at the request of the Army-Navy Commission.

IRVINGTON BAKERY REOPENS AFTER SHUTDOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Hughes reopened the Irvington Bakery last Monday after closing down because of the shortage of bakery supplies.

They spent the three weeks with their son, Arthur Jr., as the house guests of T. R. McVey on his ranch at Mar Pasa.

PROMINENT MAN OF TOWNSHIP DIES AT 86

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock from the Berge Mortuary for Samuel Vandervoort, 86, of Niles, who died in a San Jose Hospital last Wednesday morning. Entombment will be at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Hayward.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Tillie Vandervoort of Niles; five daughters, Mrs. John Tawler of Richmond, Mrs. Edgar L. Dow of Alameda, Mrs. Marcella Wales of Oakland, Mrs. Arthur Belshaw of Centerville, and Mrs. Thomas B. Murphy of Niles; two sisters, Mrs. Ralph Emerson of Centerville, and Mrs. Grace Coran of Alameda; and seven grand-children.

He was a native of New York and had lived in this township for 60 years. He worked before his retirement in 1942 as an employee of Alameda County.

DECOTO WINS OVER SAN LORENZO TEAM

Decoto's baseball team won its second game last Sunday, against San Lorenzo, with a score of 13 to 7. The game was played at the Decoto Grammar School, although originally scheduled for San Lorenzo.

Following was the line-up: catcher, Dan Corchero; pitcher, Johnny Garcia; first base, Joe Garcia; 2nd base, Dave Prego; 3rd base, Harvey Hernandez; shortstop, Leonard Smith; left field, Dick Sanchez; center field, Louis Gutierez; right field, John Bolivia; substitute, Alvin Paniagua.

The same line-up, according to Manager David Janeiro, will be used next Sunday when the team plays against Delona's team at the Decoto Grammar School.

The B team sponsored by the Decoto Recreation Council will play Castro Valley's team next Sunday on the Ashland Grammar School grounds. The team's manager will be appointed tonight when the council members meet in regular session.

MRS. WHIPPLE ISSUES PLEA FOR MORE DOGS

"More war dogs for the Pacific zone of operations," is the plea of the quartermaster general issued through Mrs. Laura Whipple, Niles representative of Dogs for Defense, Inc.

"The war dog fits in very well where the human element falls short, and that is in his keen sense of smell and hearing," Mrs. Whipple says. "The most successful dog at the present time is the silent scout dog. He is the one that alerts the enemy and gives our boys that split second advantage which may mean the difference between life and death."

Anyone having a dog that meets qualifications required for war dog tarining is urged to contact Mrs. Whipple by phone at Niles 4482.

Specifications laid down by the office of the quartermaster general are: good health, even temperament, a "working" dog, one year to three and a half years of age, 21 to 28 inches tall, weight from 50 to 80 pounds. Breeds found most suitable for war dog training are: German shepherd, Belgian shepherd, Doberman Pinscher, Collie, Airedale Terrier, and positive crosses of these breeds.

ADDITIONS MADE TO DECOTO CHURCH

Last Tuesday marked completion of two additional rooms on the Decoto Presbyterian Church after a month's carpentry work supervised by Mr. Ralph Romero, student pastor, and Mrs. Romero.

One room will be used for sleeping quarters and the other will be a classroom for Bible students in the junior age group.

Mr. Romero instructs two classes on Sunday, one for the children, which is conducted in English, and another class for adults with instruction in Spanish.

He has been preaching at the Decoto church for more than a year. A native of Colorado, he is a graduate of the state college in El Paso, Tex., and is now a student of the theological seminary in San Anselmo. He will be ordained at the completion of his next year.

EVERYTHING IS WESTERN . . . EXCEPT THE SHEETS

Deputy sheriffs today sought a fastidious cowboy who, duplicating an incident of a year ago, stole boots, jeans, jewelry, and sheets from the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bartram on the Hoare Ranch in Dublin Canyon.

Bartram, who said the articles were taken while he and his family were away from home, told Deputy Sheriff Joseph Sheehan he had suffered an identical loss a year ago but did not report that theft.

"I figured it must have been some cowpuncher down on his luck and needing a new outfit and a small stake," he explained. "But that sheet business bothers me. It just don't sound western and I'd like to see this theft solved."

VERNON ROSE IN COLLISION WITH PEDESTRIAN

Struck by a car allegedly driven by Vernon William Rose, 22, of Niles, as he crossed Watkins Street at the intersection of A and Watkins in Hayward, Ralph Keeney, 43, 625 Main Street, was taken to the Hayward Hospital Tuesday night where he is being treated for a possible fracture of the pelvis, slight concussion, scalp wounds, and a bruised right shoulder.

According to police, the accident occurred when the car, driven by Rose, came around the corner from A Street and knocked Keeney down. Rose has been cited for violation of pedestrian right-of-way.

POSTAL EMPLOYE BACK AFTER 4 YEARS IN ARMY

Home after four years and four months in the Army, two years of which were spent in the European theatre, is Glenn Moorhead, who will resume his position in the Niles post office August 1. He and his mother, who has come from Nebraska to join him, are presently residing at the Robert Vieux home, until such time that they can find a home.

Moorhead lived a month in Niles prior to his entry into the Army. Before that time he had made his home in San Jose. He was discharged on June 24 with 89 points and three battle stars.

About his life in Italy, Moorhead has little to say except that living conditions of the civilians there are deplorable. On the eve of his departure to America, he was invited by an Italian family to participate in a going-away dinner. Reluctant to deprive them of any of their food, he at first refused, but later, at their continued insistence, accepted their invitation. The meal consisted solely of a plate of spaghetti, barren of sauce, and a bottle of wine. And that, to them, was a feast!

AIRPLANE STAMP 4 VALID ON AUGUST 1

The new shoe ration stamp that the OPA announced would become valid August 1 will be airplane stamp No. 4 in ration book 3.

BEET ACREAGE IS INCREASED 50 PER CENT

In spite of an unfavorable price differential, Alameda County sugar beet growers have increased acreage 50 per cent this year, according to early returns on a survey, now being made.

George Goodale, executive secretary of the USDA War Board, said reports indicate more than 3000 acres planted to the crop, as compared with 2100 last year. A normal yield would be approximately 60,000 tons of beets which would produce 12,000 tons of sugar.

Growers maintain that if prices equal to those obtained in other sections could be assured here, the acreage would increase to at least 5000. It was pointed out that Salinas growers receive approximately $1 a ton more than is paid in Alameda County, based on identical sugar content. Growers declare that competition among refineries, which is lacking here, develops the higher prices.

TOYON PARTY IS BIG SUCCESS

Over half a hundred people assembled in the gardens of the Gorman home in Niles last Saturday afternoon to witness the fashion show and other festivities, staged by the Toyon Branch of the Children's Hospital.

It was a colorful affair and was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended. University of California co-eds, including Miss Jacqueline Gorman, daughter of the hostess, modeled some of the season's most striking gowns and beach apparel.

Proceeds from the admissions, food sales, fortune telling (by Mrs. J. L. Lush), portrait sketching (by Ethel Grau), and white elephant sales, all went toward the Children's Hospital.

The war bond, donated by Mrs. Gorman as a gate prize, was, at the request of the winner, added to the fund for the hospital. Joe Boliba, Niles grocer, swelled the funds by donating $10.

BENEFIT DANCE FOR NEWARK F. D.

A benefit dance is planned July 28 by the Newark Fire Department to raise funds for the Newark honor roll. The annual affair will be held at the Newark Pavilion and will feature the music of Bob Berry and his orchestra.

The honor roll will include the names of 150 Newark boys now in service; space will be left for more than 250 names. The roll will be placed on the Ash Street side of the fire department facing Thornton Avenue.

According to Chairman J. E. Pashote, admission to the dance will be $1. He has a four-man committee helping with dance arrangements: Lawrence Costa, Orland Meneze, Maurice Calderia, and Lewis Calderia.

The U. S. Government pays $430,000,000 a year for rent of the canal zone from Panama.

DECOTO MAN IS GUILTY OF PETTY THEFT

Douglas Reed, 29, 811 Tenth Street, Decoto, was sentenced to 10 days in jail, Wednesday, after Judge Jacob Harder of Hayward found him guilty of a petty theft charge of stealing tools from the Dohner Garage at A and Castro Streets, May 12.

Judge Harder overruled the probation officer's recommendation that Reed be placed on probation, expressing the opinion that any person who stole from his employer should receive a jail sentence.

WILL NILES LOOK LIKE PARIS NEXT THURSDAY - MAYBE

Rev. D. Q. Grabill, returning this week after three weeks spent with Mrs. Grabill in the south, visiting their daughter, conducted his first meeting this week as new president of the Niles Rotary Club.

Next week, a bit of Paris will brighten up the Rotary meeting when the club will meet on the sidewalks of Niles, in FRONT of the Florence Restaurant, rather than IN it, because of the temporary closing of the restaurant.

The week following, the Rotarians will assemble at the Old Adobe at the California Nursey where they will have Hayward Rotarians as guests. In charge of the Old Adobe affair will be George Bonde and Robert Blacow.

The Club assembly, called to discuss matters pertaining to the intended visit of the district governor, will be held next Wednesday evening in the social rooms of the Congregational Church. Approximately 15, heads of committees and officers, will attend this dinner meeting.

MORE WORKERS NEEDED FOR BUMPER CROPS

New estimates of bumper fruit and vegetable crops in 1945 emphasize the need for additional thousands of men and women to enlist as cannery workers, the California Processors and Growers, Inc., announced this week.

This group, including 39 canneries in the area, added the warning that a shortage of workers in the canning plants will mean serious losses in fruits and vegetables, of which 75 and 60 per cent, respectively, are slated for delivery to the armed forces in the Pacific.

The estimates issued by the Sacramento office of the Federal-State reporters show some decline as compared with last year in the tonnage of apricots and peaches, two of the major products. But even so, the current figures indicate a heavy yield for the 1945 pack and a packing problem requiring well over 50,000 regular workers in the canneries.

TREE SHAKERS USED TO HARVEST PRUNES

Use of mechanical tree shakers is increasing in the harvest of many California fruits and nuts and it is especially adaptable for the harvest of prunes, Agricultural Extension Service specialists, of the University of California, announced this week.

Many orchardists, as prune harvests approach, are planning on the use of one or more of the mechanized shakers as an efficient and labor-saving device and to prevent loss of needed fruit.

A description of the mechanical tree shaker, and many other improved farming work-savers, are contained in an illustrated booklet, "Labor Saving Devices for California Farms," compiled by W. Ralston and F. H. Ernst, extension specialists.

The booklet may be obtained from the Extension Service offices on the Berkeley campus, or at any county extension service office.

ALFALFA FLY IS HARD TO CONTROL

Control of the alfalfa butterfly is the topic of a leaflet issued by the University of California College of Agriculture, which may be obtained from any farm advisor. It was prepared by Ray F. Smith, principal laboratory technician, A. E. Michelbacher, assistant professor of entomology, and G. L. Smith, associate in entomology, on the Berkeley campus.

Control through parasitization is the ost important means of protecting alfalfa fields, it is said by the authors. Sulphur may be effective, but is likely to kill the beneficial parasite as well as the butterfly caterpillar.

IS FRIDAY 13TH UNLUCKY . . . NOT FOR THESE

Friday the 13th held no terrors for the 161 blood donors who donated their pine of the life-giving fluid at the blood procurement day a week ago. Superstitions must go with the wind when such an important day rolls around.

Mrs. Adele Moreno of Westvaco chalked up a new score for herself by donating her 17th pint, while George Scamman of Irvington and Clarence Pine of Niles donated for the 14th and 13th times, respectively.

Donors are listed as follows:

17th Time—Mrs. Adele Moreno, Palo Alto
14th Time — George Scamman, Irvington
13th Time—Clarence Pine, Niles
12th Time—Mrs. Pat Hill, Alvarado
Graham Smith, Niles
11th Time—Mrs. Kitty McKernan, Niles
Dr. Wilford Lamoreux, Niles
Miss Gladys Rose, Niles
Lawrence Dutra, Irvington
10th Time — George L. Brown, Hayward
Louis Vandenburg, Niles
Pete Del Grande, Niles
Reynaldo Lira, Niles
Peggy Sayre, Palo Alto
Mrs. Estella Williams, Irvington
Miss Louise Corriea, Mission San Jose
Mrs. Freda Barton, Newark
Thomas Semas, Mission San Jose
Mack Pressley, Newark
Dwight Brinton
Miss Mary Lira, Decoto
9th Time—Mrs. Mayme Roderick, Alvarado
Mrs. Delinda Duarte, Niles
Walter Schultz, Hayward
Ralph Chapman, Newark
Mrs. Lydia Millet
Mrs. Evelyn Garcia, Irvington
Mrs. Catherine Cole, Newark
John S. Rocha, Newark
8th Time (one gallon)—Miss Patricia Rose, Niles
Joseph E. Duarte, Newark
Michael Overacker, Mission San Jose
Floyd Dickerson, Niles
James Critchfield, Hayward
Mrs. Clara Garcia, Decoto
Lagorio Bernardo, Niles
7th Time—Mrs. Annette Fracolli, Niles
Delbert Gregory, Niles
Howard Overacker, Mission San Jose
George Roeding, Niles
Mrs. Ann Smith, Decoto
Mrs. Ella Bangle, Newark
Mrs. Odessa DeMotte, Mission San Jose
Maximo Mora, Niles
Harold Faucett, Centerville
Alice Reis, Mission San Jose
Lee Williams, Irvington
Howard Rose, Niles
6th Time—Fred Duffie, Niles
Leland Crane, Niles
Joe Fereira, Niles
Mrs. Lois Browning, Alvarado
Mrs. Helen Alameda, Alvarado
Lloyd Hayes, Centerville
Frank Delgado, Centerville
Mrs. Barbara Peat, Newark
Mrs. Marie Dutra, Centerville
Mrs. Catherine Cunha, Niles
Dominick Reichmuth, Centerville
John Turner, Niles
Manuel Corchero, San Leandro
L. M. Potts, Niles
Mrs. Hazel Millard, Mission San Jose
Manuel Azeveda, Newark
Mrs. Cecelia Janeiro, Decoto
Mrs. Marie Freitas, Newark
5th Time—Mrs. Mary L. Perez, Alvarado
Miss Frances Hart, Centerville
Mrs. Mary Brown, Niles
John W. Ruppel, Pleasanton
Kenneth Huntwork, Palo Alto
Joe Escobar, Newark
Manuel Enos, Newark
Mrs. Estelle Holeman, Centerville
Mrs. Alberta George, Irvington
Miss Virginia Scamman, Irvington
Com. John Reinartz, Santa Clara
Mrs. Anna Vonah, Irvington
William A. Griffith, Irvington
Mrs. Helen Jacobsen, Centerville
4th Time—Jean Blanjean, Newark
Mrs. Irma Hischier, Niles
Mrs. Annie J. Avilla, Sunol
Mrs. Adeline Lush, Niles
Harry Maxwell, Niles
Mrs. Myrtle Walker, Newark
Carl Imfield, Newark
John Perry, Niles
Fred McGuire, Niles
Newell L. DeRoche, Newark
Mrs. Margaret Brabant, Irvington
Mrs. Edith Kenley, Irvington
Raymond Rosa, San Jose
Frank Vargas, Mission San Jose
4rd Time—Mrs. Ruth Maxwell, Niles

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CHAMPAGNE WINERY TO OPERATE SOON

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WINE WILL BE READY FOR MARKET IN 1952

With only two months more of work facing them before their San Francisco wine-making equipment will be installed in their champagne vineyards in Warm Springs, R. E. Weibel and son, Fred E. Weibel, are confident that they will be able to market wine from their Warm Springs vineyards not later than 1952.

Explaining the 8½-year process of making champagne on the acreage that once belonged to the Stanford Ranch, Weibel said: "It takes four years before newly planted Pinot Noir, the only grape that can be made into champagne, will produce any grapes, two years before the wine is ready, and two and a half years before the champagne is ready for market.

In the meantime the Weibel champagne vineyards will import and press Pinot Noir grapes from Napa County, a process which they have used since they established their San Francisco winery in 1945.

The Weibel Vineyards use the French method of making champagne. After the grapes are crushed, the juice is separated from the skin before fermentation to keep the wine from turning red. It is bottled with a temporary cork and stored in card-board boxes for a year and a half.

The wine is taken from the boxes at the end of this period and placed upside down in shelves especially designed for this purpose. For an additional six months the bottle is turned an eighth of a turn a day until all of the sediment rests on the cork

Three inches of the bottle neck are frozen in a brine tank with a temperature of 25 degrees below zero for ten minutes. The frozen sediment is blown out of the bottle to be replaced with brandy, syrup, and wine.

After the permanent cork is placed in the bottle and sealed, another six months is required for blending and then the champagne is ready for market.

R. E. Weibel learned the French method when he worked in France as a vintner for several years. He brought the method with him to his native country of Switzerland where he made champagne for 30 years.

He and his son, Fred E. Weibel, brought their combined skill in wine-making to California five years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weibel intend to build a home on the property when the building restrictions are lifted. They will make Warm Springs their permanent home.

ARMED FORCES

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tives of India. Pvt. Foster says, after being in the slushy, infested jungle of Burma for so long, the clean, airy barracks, the large mess hall where they have fried eggs and etc., for breakfast, meat twice a week and all you can eat, even to their daily movies, its almost like coming home. He is with the 10th Air Corps, and has already received two bronze stars for participation in opening of the Burma Road, and for meritorious service.

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Members of the Delgado family of Decoto are rejoicing this week with the return of Privates First Class Primativo Delgado and Harold Delgado, who have both been in action in Germany. Neither knew that the other was coming home, and both arrived on the same day! Primativo received shrapnel wounds and was hospitalized in England for three months. Harold also received minor wounds. The boys are home on a 30-day furlough before reporting back to duty that may possibly take them over to the Pacific war zone.

The FARMERS CORNER

by RALPH H. TAYLOR

Executive Secretary Agricultural Council of California

While there is much discussion in Washington of maintaining a floor under farm prices during the first difficult years after the war ends, and of various other government programs to aid agriculture, the farming industry, in the ultimate showdown, must be saved from post-war disaster by farmers themselves.

The government, without doubt, can help to cushion the shock of the change-over, if its program is soundly conceived and wisely administered, but the farmer who hopes to float back to normalcy on a government life preserver has failed to reckon how inadequate a life preserver can be in a stormy sea.

Farmers, and the farming industry, must view the future realistically, rather than indulging in wishful thinking—and prepare to work out their own salvation in the post-war period, just as they have in other periods of crisis. The individual farmer, by keeping his own house in order—by retiring his debts and piling up savings now for the rainy days which will inevitably follow—can go far toward averting disaster. He can aid, too, in saving himself and his industry by constantly striving to increase his efficiency, both in production and in the marketing of his crops. And farm cooperatives likewise can play an important role in helping agriculture to ride out the storm.

Emphasizing the part which farm co-ops must play in meeting the post-war challenge, John E. Brown, president of the Louisville Bank for Cooperatives, recently declared:

"As we come close to the end of this world-wide conflict," declares Mr. Brown, "farmers must give serious consideration to what steps they can and should take to protect themselves individually—and to protect the farming industry collectively—in the post-war period.

"It is in the years following the beginning of a war that farmers experience their greatest prosperity. It is then that they are selling on a war basis what they have produced or purchased at pre-war costs. At the end of the war, the farmer's position is just reversed. He then markets war-cost products at post-war prices, which are usually precipitately lower.

"Most of us today are old enough to recall the disasters happening to agriculture following the close of World War I. History indicates that such has been the plight of agriculture following all great wars. War in the making calls for increased production and affords greater consumption at higher prices for agricultural products, but war at the ending usually means over-expanded production to be disposed of on a much restricted and lower market. That is when the farmer's economic grief really begins. It is in anticipation of this time since his planning should be done and his safeguards, as far as possible, perfected.

"Fortunately, during this war, farmers have not gone so far out on the limb of heavy indebtedness—much of it through the purchase on credit of high-priced land—as they did during the last. Instead, generally speaking, they are reducing their indebtedness and investing in War Bonds, which will furnish needed after-the-war capital."

Then Mr. Brown, one of the country's outstanding farm co-op leaders, makes a timely appeal for building a stronger farm cooperative movement to deal with post-war problems, declaring:

"In the final analysis, much can be done by farmers themselves, through cooperative action. Little can be made effective by the individual farmer working alone—he is like a lost lamb bleating in the wilderness—but much can be accomplished where farmers pool their strength and give the effort at hand united support. Such an effort is cooperation. By this means farmers have already done much to improve the quality of their products, stabilize their markets, and increase their net returns. Likewise they are purchasing needed supplies and business services to better advantage in both price and quality.

"All these will be vital to the farmers welfare when we approach and enter the post-war period. In no other way can he so well assure them to himself as through his own cooperative associations. Many will recall, following the last war, how far prices for what the farmer had to buy got out of line with

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BLOOD DONORS

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John A. McDonald, Niles
Mrs. Margaret Benton, San Jose
Lewis Brannon, Niles
Mrs. Esther Brannon, Niles
Mrs. Irma Serna, Decoto
Mrs. Violet Ornellas
Delmer Leslie Ketchum, Irvington
Miss Jacqueline Burtch, Newark
Thomas L. Granger, San Jose
2nd Time—Dr. J. Lush, Niles
Miss Betty Wilson, Hayward
Mrs. Elizabeth Green, Hayward
Mrs. Nellie Talley, Niles
Miss Margaret Ashton, Niles
Mrs. Catherine Strano
Mrs. Cecelia Machado, Newark
Mrs. Freida Kohlenberg, Newark
Clarence K. Newitt, Newark
Mrs. Katherine Reichmuth, Newark
Mrs. Wilda Mette, Newark
Frank Borghi, Decoto
Robert Short
John Novo, Newark
Hershell McDowell, Irvington
Roy Pickering, Irvington
Miss Beverley Adams, Centerville
Miss June Rose, Irvington
Miss Evelyn Bettencourt, Centerville
Lynn Deister, Newark
Robert Griswold, San Jose
Lester H. Fink, San Leandro
Mrs. Vera Hicks, Irvington
Lorraine Vierra, Irvington
1st Time—James Browning, Alvarado
Leontine Rose, Niles
Mrs. Bertah Cornell, Hayward
Tony Sendejas, Niles
John Valdez, Niles
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Virginia Diestel, Palo Alto
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FAIRY SPONGE CAKE

1 cup all-purpose flour
1 tsp. baking powder
¼ tsp. salt
2 eggs
1 cup sugar
1 tsp. vanilla
½ cup hot milk
1 tbsp. butter or margarine

Sift and measure flour; sift again with baking powder and salt. Beat eggs well with rotary beater; add sugar gradually and continue beating until mixture is very light. Add dry ingredients and stir until smooth. Add flavoring. Heat milk to boiling; add butter or margarine; stir quickly into batter. Pour *immediately* into 9-inch well-greased and floured cake pan and bake in moderate oven (350° F.) about 20 minutes or until done. Remove from pan; cool on rack. Serve topped with Fresh Fruit or Berry Whip. (Recipe follows.)

FRESH FRUIT WHIP

Soften 1 tablespoon unflavored gelatin in ¼ cup cold water, then dissolve in ½ cup hot water. Combine ¼ cup sugar, 1½ cups crushed fruit or berries, ¼ tsp. salt, and 2 tbsps. lemon juice; add to gelatin. Chill until thick and syrupy; beat with rotary beater until foamy. Fold in stiffly beaten whites of 2 eggs. Chill until firm.

FRUIT POCKETS

Use your favorite biscuit dough recipe. Roll dough about ¼ inch thick; cut into six 4-inch squares. Place about ½ cup sweetened fresh berries or sliced fruit in center of squares. Fold over diagonally; press edges together well with fork. Prick top to allow steam to escape. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 15 minutes; reduce heat to moderately hot (400° F.) and continue baking 15 minutes longer or until done.

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Timing

It may be more than mere coincidence that one of the most audacious maneuvers ever executed by our Pacific Fleet—that of sending Admiral Halsey's task force right up to Tokyo's front door—should have come just at the time when President Truman was preparing for his meeting with Churchill and Stalin.

It will be remembered that on that occasion Fleet Admiral Nimitz broke all precedent by announcing the names of the ships engaged in the attack. Obviously, this was done to emphasize the virtually unchallenged supremacy we enjoy in the Pacific and even in the waters just off the coast of Japan.

This attack, which sent 1,000 American planes from aircraft carrier in repeated smashes against the airfields around Tokyo, had as its military purpose the further weakening of Japanese ability to resist an eventual invasion. But the attack also had a political or psychological purpose—that of impressing Marshal Stalin with the fact that the war in the Pacific is being won by ourselves and the British even though Russia, as yet, has taken no active part in it.

This means that when the subject of Russian participation in the Pacific struggle comes up at the Big Three meeting Marshal Stalin will hardly be in a position to ask special concessions as a price for joining in the fight against Nippon. In fact, if he is to have a strong voice in future Pacific affairs he may find it necessary to bid his way into the fight rather than receive bids to join in.

Thus it would appear that the strike against Tokyo included political as well as military timing.

'Permanent' Tires

"It is no trade secret that we ultimately expect to produce a tire that will run 100,000 miles," declared John W. Thomas, head of a major rubber company. He also revealed that a tire is now being developed that will not puncture, blow out, or skid.

His statement substantiates the long-time rumor about the super-duper tires that are to come. It may be quite some time yet, however, before they are perfected and produced in large numbers.

If this type of "permanent" tire can be successfully built and used for buses and trucks it will be of tremendous added value to the nation as a whole. Motorized transportation has now been so widely developed that almost everything we eat, wear and use is moved at one stage or another by motor carriers. One of the biggest problems of these carriers is their tires. Long lasting rubber would do much to make highway transportation even more inexpensive and faster than it is now.

Whether tomorrow's 100,000-mile, non-skid, non-puncture, non-blowout tire will be made of natural or synthetic rubber has not been revealed. But that is of little importance to the motorist. It isn't what goes into the tire, but rather what he gets out of it that counts with him.

Wining and Dining

By ROBERT MAYOCK

Last night I had a shocking dream and it has left me terribly shaken and upset. In fact, I don't believe I have had a worse dream since the night I dreamed I was run over by an old-fashioned butcher's cart. My dreams always seem to be about food!

Mayock

Well, anyway, it seems in retrospect that we had been invited to a barbecue. It must have been one of those "pot-luck" affairs where everyone brings something. We had put half a dozen bottles of cabernet into our rattan hamper along with a potato salad. Now there are potato salads and potato salads. A good one is a great joy either in your own patio or up in the mountains under a redwood tree. A poor one is just a greasy mess. The one I dreamed of had been made according to an old family recipe.

POTATO SALAD

Slice your boiled new-potatoes moderately fine. The potatoes should not have been over-cooked. It is much better to stop the boiling and drain off the water while they are still slightly under done; the heat in the potato will finish the cooking admirably.

Chop sweet red onions very fine using about one-third of onions to two-thirds of potatoes. Mince very fine about three stalks of celery, two bell peppers and a good tight handful of parsley.

Fold in a generous quantity of mayonnaise which you have flavored with two tablespoonsful of prepared French mustard, equal amounts of strong white wine vinegar and lemon juice. At the last, garnish with slices of hard-boiled egg, watercress and quartered lemons sprinkled with paprika.

And so, armed with our potato salad and our bottles of faultless red wine, we arrived at the appointed rendezvous. I seem to recall that it was in a forest glade beside a small stream flanked with stately redwoods. The temperature was several degrees cooler than the country we had just passed through and it seemed a perfect day.

MAYBE WARNING

We put our hamper on the rough wooden table and I walked over to where the fire was smoldering in the barbecue pit.

What do you think I saw? Big juicy steaks? No! Chickens? No! A whole big salmon? No!

No red points at all—just about 14 large new potatoes which were cracking as they baked! Can you imagine potato salad and baked potatoes for a barbecue?

I'll never know what happened, for the next thing I knew I was being rudely shaken. The lights were on in the bedroom and my wife was standing over me.

"What on earth are you shouting about?" she asked.

But I didn't know and it was only this morning that I have been able to reconstruct the tragedy. And there is really no way of describing the complex and violent reactions which course through the partly sleeping mind of a sincere trencherman when he learns that the main course of a barbecue is going to be nothing more inspiring than baked potatoes.

Of course, it was only a dream, but I am a broken man. And my condition is no way improved by the stern and ominous thought that maybe this is a forewarning of things to come before this summer is over.

JOSEPH NUNES ASSISTS AT DECOTO SCHOOL

Joseph Nunes, who acted as custodian of the Decoto School up to the time he lost an eye in an injury in March, 1944, assumed the post of assistant custodian in the school the first of the week.

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10 LITTLE INDIANS COMES TO SAN JOSE

The Agatha Christie mystery thriller, "Ten Little Indians," which is still running in London and New York, plays a single performance in San Jose on Sunday evening, August 5, with the same cast as played in Chicago for six months.

Suspense is said to be spine-chilling, and the plot is enacted against a sensational setting on Indian Island off the Devon coast.

Tickets are on sale at the Denny-Watrous box office, San Jose auditorium.

NILES YOUTH IN PARATROOP RAID

Fifth Air Force Troop Carrier Command, Philippine Islands. — (Special to The Register)—Second Lieutenant Emmanuel P. Maciel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Antone O. Maciel, Route No. 1, Niles, California, recently participated in the paratroop drop on Camalaniugan Airfield in Northern Luzon, thus closing the Jap escape route from the Cagayan Valley. In addition to paratroops, machine guns, ammunition and supplies were dropped.

He is a pilot with the 317th Troop Carrier Group, widely known as the "Jungle Skippers," operating under the command of Brigadier General Paul H. Prentiss. The "Jungle Skippers" also participated in the paratroop assault on Corregidor Island.

Lieutenant Maciel is a graduate of Washington Union High School. He entered the Army in August, 1942, and received his commission in June, 1944. Prior to his enlistment was employed by the F. E. Booth Company of Centerville.

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DRIVE ON CATTLE GRUBS

In the second year of the cattle grub control program in California, 37 counties reported over 123,000 cattle treated, as shown in a recent report by Dr. Kenneth G. McKay, specialist in veterinary science of the Agricultural Extension Service, University of California.

Effort was centered on cattle grub control last year because of the economic loss caused by these warbles, especially in leather, a critical war material. Dr. McKay says damage to hides and carcasses is $3.50 minimum per animal pe ryear. The cost of treating each animal is only about 15 cents for materials.

Cattlemen working co-operatively over selected areas should get an 85 per cent kill the first year from spraying at the time the grubs are evident. Ten pounds of derris powder containing 5 per cent rotenone and 10 pounds of wettable sulphur to each 100 gallons of water is sprayed under pressure on the backs of the cattle. This preparation also can be brushed on the backs.

Isolation will aid control because the adult heel fly will not fly over water, over hills, or farther than a mile and a half. The life span of the fly varies from 3 to 8 days.

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THE EGG SITUATION

California hens established a record lay per hen last year, as shown in the report of the egg situation prepared by W. E. Newlon, extension specialist in poultry, and George B. Alcorn, extension specialist in marketing, University of California.

Farm production of eggs for last year was exceeded only in 1943. Consumers also established a record ,the highest ever reached, when civilian consumption per capita reached 105 eggs for the first quarter of the year.

The egg-feed ratio is reported favorable for increased production. Wholesale civilian stocks are the lowest on record since 1916.

Based on present records, hens and poultry on farms for 1946 should be as many as on farms for 1945. Chicks hatched in May 1945 were ahead of any May except in 1943, with especially large hatch in areas of broiler production.

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A simplified schedule of cents-per-pound zone ceiling prices for all poultry except ducks has been announced by the OPA. It replaces the basing point system of pricing poultry and provides ceilings for all sellers. The recently announced national average increase of 1.26 cents a pound in the ceiling price of young chickens is reflected in the new zone prices.

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The Army will release 30,000 trucks by August 1 to the Department of Commerce, 10,000 light and 20,000 medium trucks, as a result of a survey made in an effort to provide some relief for urgent civilian need for trucks. The War Food Administration had requested the War Department to release as many light and medium trucks as possible without jeopardizing the war effort to help meet agricultural requirements. The Army is continuing the survey to determine how many more trucks are in excess of requirements and can be declared surplus.

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A SOUND FOOD PROGRAM

Clinton P. Anderson is now in the midst of his new duties as Secretary of Agriculture, "with the firm conviction that nothing is more important now than a sound food program."

A brief statement of special interest to farmers from the new secretary of agriculture is handed us by Farm Adviser T. O. Morrison.

"My immediate concern will be with four chief problems that are fundamental to a sound food program:

"First, abundant production to meet our wartime requirements.

"Second, the guarantees farmers need from government to get better production.

"Third, the necessary action to make good on the promises of government to farmers.

"Fourth, improvements in distribution so that our supplies may be shared more fairly among all of us."

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MORE PIGS TO MARKET

Farmers will take more pigs to market this fall, over 35 million of them, and that's a 13 per cent increase over the 1944 fall crop. Farm Adviser T. O. Morrison says this will be about 5 per cent less than the goal of the War Food Administration of 37 millon head.

The 1945 spring pig crop was nearly 52 million, about four million less than a year earlier and six million below the goal for this spring.

The current meat shortage and the recent increased support prices for hogs together with a fairly favorable ratio between prices of hogs and feed are factors expected to encourage a further increase in the fall pig crop.

The farm adviser says it may well turn out that all farrowing will exceed the number indicated if these factors are not offset with the difficulty of obtaining brood sows and the uncertainty as to the outcome of the corn crop in the Middle West.

China's history extends back to 2205 B. C.

SUGAR WORKER CONVICTED OF ASSAULT CHARGE

Thomas J. Allen, Holly Sugar Corporation worker, was convicted on a charge of assault last Friday in the Niles justice court and will be sentenced August 31.

Cyril Roche of Hayward defended Allen, who was accused of threatening the complainant, Oda Rigmaiden, with a 3-foot water pipe.

DECOTO MAN PLEADS GUILTY TO ASSAULT

Bernardo G. Perez of Decoto pleaded guilty last Friday to a charge of assault against Joseph C. Alves of 1101 March Road, Alvarado. He will be sentenced July 27 at 3 oclock in the Niles justice court.

JOE BAUHOFER RETURNS FROM SOUTH PACIFIC

After three years in the South Pacific, what do you suppose Joe Bauhofer, discharged from the Army with 95 points, liked most about getting back home?

Why, being able to drink fresh milk again!

That is the usual reply most returned service men make to this query, but with the case of Bauhofer it has unusual significance: He is in the milk business. With his parents, he operates the Cloverdale Creamery in Centerville; so he should have all the milk he can drink.

And the next item on his "why-I'm-glad-to-be-home" list is fresh vegetables—of which he can't seem to get enough.

"But above all," says young Bauhofer, "I enjoy the feeling of being free again, of doing what I please when I please. It's wonderful!"

Bauhofer is reluctant to tell about his exploits in the South Pacific. They are still too close behind him. But he modestly admitted to an oak leaf cluster, four bronze stars, a good conduct medal and a presidential citation for his unit.

He took part in the liberation of the Philippines and was in several other major engagements, including Papua, New Guinea, Leyte and Luzon.

Costas Guests Of San Leandrans

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Peterson, formerly of Niles and now of San Leandro, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Tony Costa of Niles last Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Reynolds, the former Lorrayne Peterson, whose lovely singing voice was well appreciated throughout the township is now singing with her husband's band at a Forest Lake resort.

Newark People At Santa Cruz

Mr. and Mrs. William Nunes and family and Mrs. June Ennes and baby of Newark are among those who have found the attractions of Santa Cruz. They spent a few days at that popular vacation spot last week basking on the beach and taking it easy.

TICKETS NOW ON SALE FOR AUXIILIARY DANCE

Bob Barry and his nine-piece orchestra have been engaged by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Irvington Fire Department to play for their big dance, August 4.

Chairman of the affair is Mrs. Pearl Guardanapo, who announced that something very special in the way of door prizes will be given.

Tickets may be purchased at the Edw. L. Rose furniture store in Irvington.

'LIFE' WILL BE SUBJECT FOR CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS

The Shristian Science lesson-sermon subject for July 22 is "Life." Golden text, Luke 20,37, 38: "Now that the dead are raised, even Moses shewed at the bush, when he calleth the Lord the God of Abraham, and the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. For he is not a God of the dead, but of the living: for all live unto him."

One of the Bible verses in the sermon is: "Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not high-minded, nor trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God, who giveth us richly all things to enjoy" (I Tim. 6:17).

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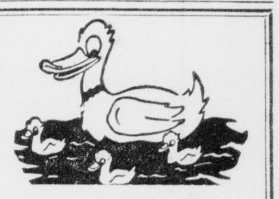

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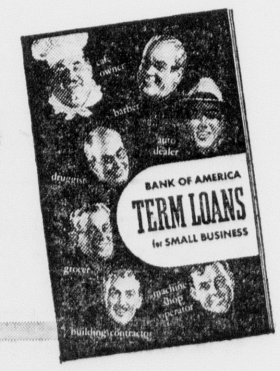

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NILES BOY FINISHES WARFARE SCHOOL

Edgewood Arsenal, Md., 14 July 1945.—(Special to he Register)—Non-commissioned officers destined for Chemical Mortar Battalions completed a concentrated four-weeks course in maintenance, functioning and firing of the 4.2 inch chemical mortar at the Chemical Warfare School here today.

The course, designed to familiarize men formerly assigned to heavy artillery units with the chemical mortar and other phases of CWS training, combines an intensive study or the mortar with a review of basic subjects. The heavy artillery units are being converted to mortar battalions because of the greater adaptability of mortar operations to Pacific fighting.

Among the non-commissioned officers graduated today was T/5 Dortis R. Harvey, Box 382, Niles, California, formerly employed by Pacific States Steel Corporation.

In the United States there is an average distance of 700 miles between the meat producer and the meat consumer.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

June 20, 1945

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

617 Main Street, Niles, Calif.

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) for these premises as follows:

Off sale beer and wine.

Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license (s) may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are not now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverags.

M. E. DUARTE

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERS DOING BUSINESS UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned are partners transacting business in the State of California under the fictitious firm name and style of "NILES FURNITURE COMPANY," having our principal place of business at 748 Main Street, Niles, Alameda County, California.

The full names and places of residence of all the members of said partnership are as follows:

JOHN E. EDWARDS, 501 Second Street, Niles, California.

RHEA S. EDWARDS, 501 Second Street, Niles, California.

C. W. CHRYSLER, Canyon Heights, Niles, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 6th day of July, 1945.

JOHN E. EDWARDS
RHEA S. EDWARDS
C. W. CHRYSLER

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA)

On this 6th day of July, 1945, before me, E. A. Quaresma, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared JOHN E. EDWARDS, RHEA S. EDWARDS, and C. W. CHRYSLER, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(Seal) E. A. QUARESMA
NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the County of Alameda, State of California

J13,20,27,A3,10

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that MANUEL MENDEZ has sold, assigned and transferred to JOE TOSTE all of his interest in that certain Dairy Partnership business known as "JOE TOSTE and MANUEL MENDEZ," R.F.D. 1, Box 103, Newark, California, and that the partnership heretofore existing between JOE TOSTE and MANUEL MENDEZ has been dissolved by mutual consent and agreement of said co-partners, and that said JOE TOSTE has assumed all outstanding indebtedness of said partnership.

DATED: June 30, 1945.

(Signed) JOE TOSTE
(Signed) MANUEL MENDEZ

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA)

On this 30th day of June, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-five before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared MANUEL MENDEZ and JOE TOSTE, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(Seal) E. A. QUARESMA
NOTARY PUBLIC in and for said County of Alameda, State of California

Jy 6,13,20

...Around the Township...

Robert Zwissig and Bride Are Feted

As the climax to a strictly U.S. Coast Guard wedding, Robert Zwissig, USOG, and his new bride, the former Phyllis Weber, also USCG, will be honored Sunday at a reception at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Zwissig of 795 Pinedale Court, Hayward.

Approximately 110 friends will gather to witness the cutting of the wedding cake by the newlyweds, who exchanged nuptial vows June 23 in the flower decorated chapel at the Coast Guard base in Seattle.

Following military regulations, the bride was dressed in her summer white uniform, and carried a bouquet of baby-white orchids. Her attendant was Frances Tometich, and serving as best man was Leslie Noble, both of the Coast Guard.

After a six day honeymoon, spent in Seattle, Zwissig has been visiting his parents since July 4, while Coast Guard duties forced the bride to return to her base in Seattle. Now on leave, she will arrive in Hayward tomorrow.

The groom is a graduate of Niles Elementary School and Washington Union High School, and attended agricultural college at Davis and at San Jose State College. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weber of Magnolia, Illinois.

Zwissig has received an appointment to officers training school at New London, Connecticut, where he will report August 9, and the bride will return to her station at Seattle.

Former Resident Visiting Here

Mrs. Isabelle Cahill of Niles is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. Harold Humphrey, and her granddaughter, Sandra, of San Francisco, for two weeks at the Cahill home.

Mrs. Humphrey was once a teacher at the Niles Grammar School.

Edward Smith Recovering from Accident

Edward Smith of Niles is recovering from a recent automobile accident which occurred at the Decoto-Niles Road two weeks ago.

His condition had been serious but he is expected to be able to return to his job at the Westvaco Chlorine Products Corporation soon. He will remain under the doctors care until he is completely recovered.

Decoto Teacher At San Jose State

Mrs. Beth Quilici, Decoto teacher, is attending a summer session at San Jose State College where she is studying instrumental music and office practice. Her young son, David, is spending the summer session time with his paternal grandparents in Crockett.

Two New Arrivals At Bauhofer Home

There are two new arrivals in the Bauhofer home in Centerville. One is Joe Bauhofer, just in from the South Pacific. And the other is little John Wipfli, grandson of the Bauhofers, born July 6 at the San Jose Hospital. He and his mother are temporarily housed at the Bauhofer home. Thomas John is the Wipfli's first born. His daddy owns a dairy in Irvington.

Mrs. Peixote Celebrates Birthday

Thirteen guests assembled at the home of Mrs. Rose Peixote last Saturday night to help her celebrate her birthday. After dinner the guests enjoyed an evening of bridge.

Luncheon at Ellsworths Honors Mrs. Lush

An informal luncheon is being enjoyed today at the home of Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth, honoring Mrs. J. L. Lush who, with her husband, is spending the summer in Niles. Those invited are friends whom Mrs. Lush has made during previous summers' visits in Niles.

Has War-Time Vacation

Walter Oakie of the Central Bank in Alvarado enjoyed a typical war-time vacation last week when he spent his annual vacation at his home in San Leandro.

He returned to work Monday without the usual vacationers complaints about poor accommodations, and impossible traveling conditions.

Summer Visitors At Shinn Home

The usual trek of summer visitors has already started making its way towards the J. C. Shinn home. Visiting for two weeks is Mrs. Allen Shinn, erstwhile Norfork, Va., resident, with her three children, Allen Jr., James and Jonathan.

Week-end guests at the Shinn home were Mrs. Isobel West and Mrs. Betty Robertson, both of Sausalito, while Berkeley friends came down Tuesday to spend the day. They were Mrs. Ann Isham, Mrs. C. A. Shuey and Mrs. W. R. Cobb.

Galvins Entertain Relatives Friday

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Galvin of Niles entertained several of Mrs. Galvin's relatives last Friday evening. The list included Mrs. Luisa Kik, Mrs. Lillian Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Fox, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bell, all of Oakland.

Mrs. Galvin's niece, Mrs. Trilby Mourer, left the same day for her home in Washington after a three-day stay as her house guest.

Emilie Scott Vacations in Arcata

Emilie Jane Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott of Newark, left last Sunday to spend the remainder of the summer school vacation with her aunt, Mrs. R. H. Barnes of Arcata.

Mrs. Barnes and her son, James, were house guests of the Scotts last week.

Birthday Party For Emilie Scott

An outdoor birthday party in honor of little Emilie Jane Scott, who celebrated her 11th birthday July 5, was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Foster of Newark.

Newark guests included Patty Ann Collins and Kathleen Herzog, Betty and Jo Ann Lewis, Marlene Andrade, Gerald Ornalles, Rose Mary Gunn, Darell Ferreira, and C. E. Harrison. The only out-of-town guest was Teddy Robinson of Chicago, who is visiting here.

Emilie Jane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott, helped the Fosters entertain the children.

Nickas Have Guests

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bouman left Friday, July 6, after a week as house guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Nickas of Niles.

Goes to Vallejo

Joan Morse left last Sunday for her home in Vallejo, where she will live with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Morse. She has been living with Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Brown of Warm Springs for the last 9 months in order to attend Washington High until her graduation this June.

Visits in Newark

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Klink were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Val Lotti of Newark last week-end. The two couples picnicked at Alum Rock last Sunday afternoon before the Klinks left for their home in Modesto.

Brauns at Rio Nido

Expected to return this week from a week's vacation were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Braun of Niles who left last Wednesday for Rio Nido on the Russian River.

At Santa Cruz

Edward and Alice King and family, with their guest, Dianne Ferraires of Centerville, left last Saturday for a week in Santa Cruz. Friends expect them to return some time during the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis and daughter Elaine of Centerville, and Miss Betty Burr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Burr of Niles, with Mr. and Mrs. Edward George of Burlingame, spent last week-end in Santa Cruz.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geno Quartaroli and son David of Niles joined the throng of visitors at Santa Cruz last Sunday for a week's vacation.

Toyon Party Reminiscing

The Toyon benefit party last Saturday at the Gorman home—the lovely co-ed models, with their svelte, beautifully tanned figures bringing cries of envy and admiration from the onlookers — Ethel Grau, in her tam and smock, looking as artistic as one of her own paintings—Mrs. Frank Fields hovering over her post at the white elephant booth like a mother hen —the luscious looking cakes and cookies at the food counter — the garden setting, cool, green, spacious—the bridge players, stopping only to sip punch now and then—everybody ecstatic over having their palms read by Mrs. Lush—Gladys Williamson doing her usual fine job of emceeing—Mrs. Gorman dashing hither and thither, wondering if everything is going all right—Ruth Robbins at the food booth, harassed by an invasion of ants—laughter, music, wisps of conversation floating out on the air . . .

Harriet Dias 'Rushing' Around

Miss Harriet Dias arrived last Monday in Niles from the University of California in Berkeley where she has been participating in "rushing" future members into her sorority.

She will spend the rest of the summer school vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dias, and will resume her studies as a history major at the University next November.

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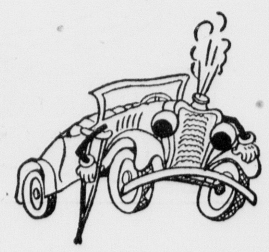

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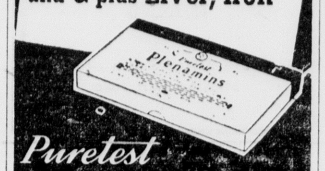

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The Rogers Return From Visit in Reno

Bill Rogers and his mother, Mrs. Bessie Rogers of Niles, returned Wednesday after a 10-day sojourn in Reno. They were lucky enough with everything except the weather—it was too hot. They spent part of their time visiting old friends who live there.

KRAFTMAN'S CLUB TO GIVE DANCE

The Kraftman's Club of the Kraftile Company is announcing its second annual dance, open to the public, to be held Saturday, July 28, at the I.D.E.S. Hall in Mission San Jose.

Those in charge state that everybody is welcome. Several handsome door prizes are promised.

Mrs. Carmen Foster, wife of Pfc. Ernest R. Foster, will return in August to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Vargas of Santos Avenue. She has been in Phoenix, Arizona, at the home of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stuart. Her health has improved considerably during her long stay there. She had to leave the Naval Redistribution Center in Irvington, where she worked, because of an infected throat.

REBEKAH NEWS

Ivy W. Cull, district deputy president of District 53, accompanied by her marshall, Rose F. Stearns, and staff and drill team installed the officers of the Livermore Rebekah Lodge last Wednesday evening, July 18, in Livermore.

The next meeting of the Niles Rebekah Lodge will be held this evening, July 20, at the I.O.O.F. Hall in Niles, according to Olive Pugmire, noble grand.

The word Yugoslavia means "South Slavs."

George Lowry Guest At Rotary

George Lowry of Centerville, a member of the Rotary Club of King City, was a guest at hte Niles Rotary Club last Thursday. He is well known throughout the township.

Requirements of the WPB or Advance Signers for

FROZEN FOOD LOCKERS

Are Nearly Complete

In a few days signers will receive notice from the Central Bank to deposit checks in escrow for lockers.

In order that the lockers may be installed more quickly, please do not delay depositing your rental.

The War Production Board requires, due to the shortage of frozen food lockers, that deposits be in the hands of a bank as escrow agent before they will permit installation. So when you receive your statement DO NOT DELAY.

A few Frozen Food Lockers are still available for those who have not yet signed our lists

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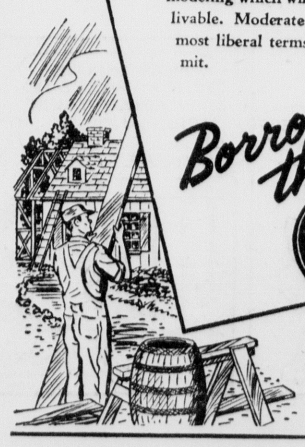

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Thinking Things Over...

By VIVIAN BATMAN

Now and then we feel impelled to toss a bouquet to someone. This week's bouquet is directed toward Mrs. George Roeding Jr., who is donating her services, gratis, to the children of Niles by teaching them how to swim.

It's no easy job, handling a couple of dozen youngsters or more and teaching them swimming strokes. But Mrs. Roeding feels so strongly about the necessity of children learning how to swim that she has willingly taken on the task. Fortunately for the community, she does not merely EXPRESS her beliefs; she CARRIES THEM OUT.

Every time I toss a bouquet to someone in this column there'll be someone, somewhere, who will say, "But what about so-and-so. Why doesn't she mention her?"

All right, then, WHAT about so-and-so? Let me hear about her—or him. Eventually we'll get around to them, too. Everyone who is doing things for the community deserves an occasional pat on the back.

GOOD IDEA, NO?

Picasso, the famous artist, in lieu of real furniture which, artist-like, he could not afford, painted pictures of chairs and tables on the walls of his humble garret, then invited his friends in to see his "new furniture."

Why can't we—suffering from a similar shortage—have our tablecloths painted with succulent-looking steaks, and yellow blobs of creamy-looking butter, and big, thick wedges of apple pie topped with cheese, and perhaps a platter or two of ham or bacon and eggs; and then—well, they we could invite our friends to dinner without any apologies. Serve them a little soup, perhaps, a few crackers, a cup of coffee—with no strain at all on our red ration points!

MEN AT WORK

There's a sign down on the middle of Nursery Road, which is being repaired, that reads "Men at Work (in big letters) and then below, "Except when Buicks are passing." Nice publicity work on the part of the Buick people.

The idea could be developed. Press agents for movie stars, for instance, could furnish such signs to equipment crews: "Men at Work, except when Lana Turner is passing."

MRS. BESSNER BACK FROM LOS ANGELES

Back this week from Los Angeles, and excited over the new dresses she bought for her shop in Niles, is Mrs. Ora Bessner, proprietor of Ora's Apparel Shop. Mrs. Bessner thinks that Los Angeles is the buyers' paradise, though it certainly wasn't paradise riding down there on the train, she says.

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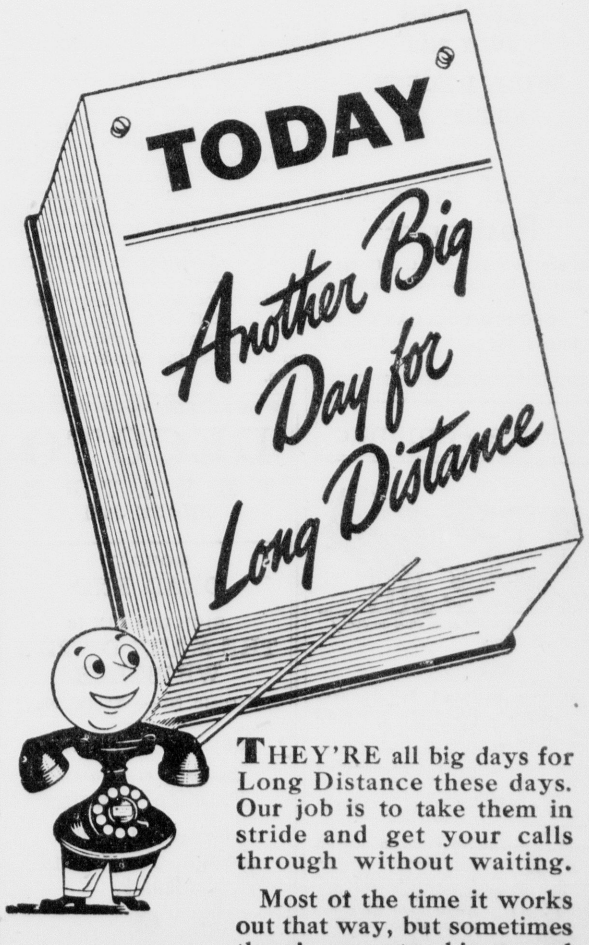

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SET OF RINGS—Diamond engagement ring and wedding ring set with 5 diamonds. Mrs. Bimemiller, 647 Cherry Rd., Newark. 29p2

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FARMERS CORNER

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July 19, 1945.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

Mission San Jose Highway, 2 1/2 miles southeast of Sunol, Calif.

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance of an alcoholic beverage license for these premises as follows:

On Sale Beer License.

Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are not no wlicensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

MANUEL F. COELHO.

Water for the lighthouse keeper and his staff on the Farallons has to be brought by ship from the mainland, as the islands are waterless.

LUXURY FOODS EASILY CANNED AT HOME

—Photo Courtesy Ball Brothers Co.

As long as there is a war and for some time thereafter, luxury items in the food line will be scarce, costly or non-existent. Commonplace items become luxuries when a nation suffers shortages of labor, machinery, trucks, and trains for producing and delivering nonessential material for civilian use.

But, we have the word of Gladys Kimbrough, editor of the famous Ball Blue Book of canning recipes, that no home pantry need be shy of a variety of luxury items, many of which are easily canned at home!

We agree with Miss Kimbrough when she says, "It is a shameful and unnecessary disappointment when one cannot find mushrooms for the sauce after saving up enough points for a steak." Of course, there is no point in being caught short on mushrooms, but remember you won't have any use for the steak if you go out and collect any and everything which might be a mushroom. Some of those toadstools are poisonous.

Home canned eggplant is delicious when seasoned with onion, pepper, butter and perhaps a dash of tomato sauce, the mixture blended with egg and bread crumbs and baked. Some of the crumbs should come out on top where they will brown nicely.

Miss Kimbrough does the eggplant dish and a similar one with home canned summer squash by rule of thumb. However, the recipe she gave us to put at the end of this story is very, very exact because home canning is not rule-of-thumb business.

Those of you who like them and live near where they grow might as well have all the artichokes you want. Canning them is no trick at all when you have a good recipe and follow it.

Cranberries were reasonably plentiful in the market the week before last Thanksgiving Day—but did you try to find them a month later? Well, maybe this year you will remember that home canned cranberry sauce is just about the easiest of anything to can. What's more, it has a wonderful flavor and goes as well with chicken in May as with turkey in December.

Make Red Pepper Jam

Yes, we know this isn't cranberry season, but you need not wait that long if you have a yen for something tart, sweet, and red to add a touch of glamour to an otherwise drab meal. That something is Red Pepper Jam. When you make it, be sure to use meaty red sweet peppers. Those with thin walls and bitter flavor will not serve the purpose.

Whether the item you plan to can is necessity or luxury, please, for your own sake, pay careful attention to the selection and use of jars. It is false economy to use anything but regular home canning jars. Most of those used by commercial packers are very thin and intended to be discarded when emptied. They must be light weight in order to keep down shipping cost. Compare the weight of a salad dressing jar with a milk bottle and you will see what we mean. A regular home canning jar doesn't need to be as heavy as a milk bottle because it does not receive such hard use but it must be heavy enough to stand up under home canning conditions.

It is smart to follow the manufacturer's instructions when using jars and caps. We mean the instructions packed with the jars and printed on the cap cartons—not those you have had five or ten years! Failure to heed this bit of advice explains why the old-time canner may fail and the beginner succeed when using war-time jars, caps and rubbers. But whether you are an old-timer or a newcomer, we believe you will like this recipe for canning eggplant, offered through courtesy of the copyright owner, Ball Brothers Company, Muncie, Indiana.

Use fresh, firm, tender eggplant. Wash eggplant clean, then peel, slice or cube. Soak 45 minutes in brine (1 tablespoon salt to 1 quart water). Drain. Boil 5 minutes in clear water. Pack into hot jars. Cover with boiling water. Process 50 minutes at 10 pounds pressure.

RAYMOND RUBEN AND WIFE GO TO SEATTLE

Pfc. Raymond Ruben receive his discharge from the Army recently, after serving 38 months in China. He and his wife, the former Marian Elizabeth Pine of Niles, will leave for Seattle after spending a brief visit with her mother, Mrs. Marian Pine of Niles.

Ruben owns a fishing boat and will go into commercial fishing in Seattle.

CHEESE

American cheese will add to the Nation's post-war prosperity that War Bond buyers will share. Expansion of the business is predicted. Almost half the Nation's cheese is Wisconsin-made. In 1942 the state turned out 513,399,000 pounds, most of it American cheese. Swiss, Munster and Italian cheese are made in impressive quantities. This department of the dairy business helps build our national income and helps to make War Bonds the best investment in the world.

COLDS CAN BE AVOIDED, SAYS U. C. PHYSICIAN

Everyone can achieve some immunity from acute respiratory infections such as colds; most people never have a cold again, according to Dr. Marshall C. Cheney, associate physician, student health service, on the Berkeley campus of the University of California.

Summing up data secured from observations of eighteen years on more than 20,000 university students, Dr. Cheney says that cold vaccine plus proper hygiene and other therapeutic measures will protect all except those unfortunate individuals who have inherited extremely poor automatic defense.

People vary from those who have perfect defense against colds, to a few who have none, Dr. Cheney says. Evidence accumulated at the university shows that fresh, mixed cold vaccines, if properly administered, increase the antibody reserve in everyone to some extent, and often are sufficient to produce complete freedom from colds for some months or even years.

However, he points out that these vaccines are limited in their ability to improve this mechanism and cannot be expected to give perfect defense when other predisposing factors are present.

These may include obstruction in nose or sinuses which prevent drainage; chronic disease such as tuberculosis or syphilis; allergy; lack of vitamin A; fatigue; chilling; poor diet; lack of sunlight on the skin; impure and oxygen-deficient air; glandular deficiency, especially hypothyroidism; and excessive contamination with the agents of colds from unhygienic living.

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(From the 1925 files of The Township Register)

Mrs. Joseph S. Brown returned from a five-day trip to Sacramento where she attended the S.P.R.S.I. convention as a delegate from the Warm Springs chapter.

Mrs. Frances Luna of the Alvarado post office staff was confined to her home on account of illness.

Father Leal returned a short visit to San Francisco.

F. T. Dusterberry, manager of the Centerville branch of the Bank of Italy, was a business visitor in Oakland.

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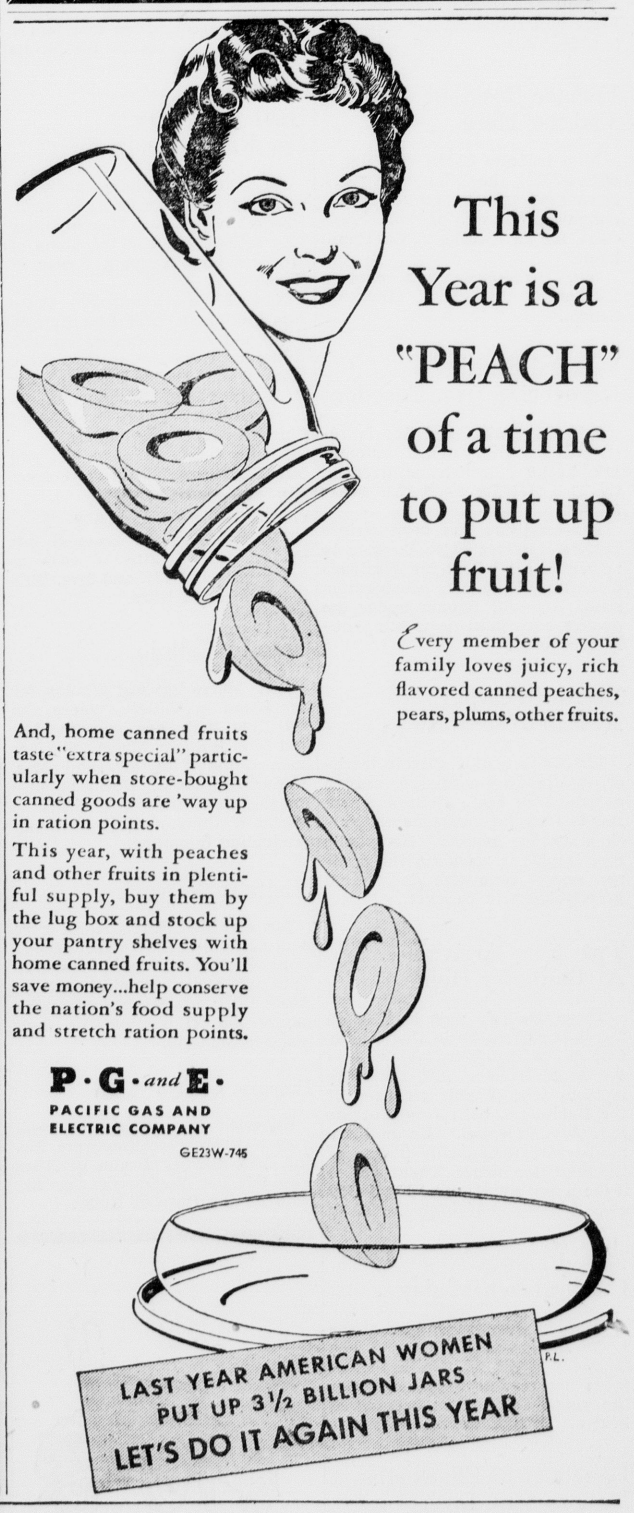
This Year is a "PEACH" of a time to put up fruit!
Every member of your family loves juicy, rich flavored canned peaches, pears, plums, other fruits.
And, home canned fruits taste "extra special" particularly when store-bought canned goods are 'way up in ration points.
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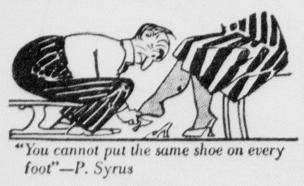

"You cannot put the same shoe on every foot"—P. Syrus

JULY

23—John L. Sullivan wins fight crown in 75 round bout, 1889.

24—U. S. proclaims Kellogg-Briand Pact outlawing war, 1929.

25—Territory of Wyoming organized, 1868.

26—Ben Franklin named First Postmaster General, 1775.

27—Department of Foreign Affairs (now State Department) formed, 1779.

28—Federal troops disperse "Bonus Army" in Washington, 1932.

29—The Hague Convention signed by U. S., 1899.

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